

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 07/402,450 Confirmation No.: 8131  
Applicant : George J. MURAKAWA et al.  
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Commissioner of Patents  
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**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Decision on Rehearing dated 26 October 2011, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

***Amendments to the Claims*** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Material added has been indicated by underlining (underlining) and material deleted has been indicated by strikethrough (~~strikethrough~~).

***Remarks*** begin on page 14 of this paper.